

Below you will find exciting information about the United States government and other fun things.

### [Do You Know What Happened on This Date in History?](#)

#### **Fun and Educational Links**

##### [Ben's Guide to U.S. Government](#)

Learn how your U.S. Government works, about its history and your civic responsibilities by reading these pages and playing the games on this site.

##### [Kids in the House: The Official Kid's Page of the U.S. House of Representatives](#)

Learn about the legislative process and its effect on you. Experience the exciting world of government like you never have before.

##### [Whitehousekids.gov](#)

Visit the White House's official page for kids and learn about president, his responsibilities and the history of the office.

##### [Kid's News](#)

Read news just for kids at the Washington Post Kid's Post Page.

##### [First Gov for Kids](#)

The federal government's portal for fun, educational and safe sites for kids.

##### [CIA's Homepage for Kids](#)

Learn what it takes to be a spy, read about the history of the CIA and try on spy disguises.

##### [National Zoo](#)

Meet the animals that live at our national zoo.

##### [NASA Just for Kids](#)

Learn about our missions to space, new technologies and the history of our space program.

**[National Children's Museum](#)**

Take a tour of the National Children's Museum.

**[EPA's Explorers' Club](#)**

Learn about the environment and what you can do to protect it.

**[Smithsonian Kids' Castle](#)**

The Smithsonian's official site for kids includes games and learning material about the things that kids are interested in.

**[The Congressional Award](#)**

The Congressional Award is a public partnership created by Congress to promote and recognize achievement, initiative, and service in America's youth. The Congressional Award provides a unique opportunity for young people to set and achieve personally challenging goals that build character and foster community service, personal development, and citizenship.